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FROM USDEL LOS

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: PLOS

SUBJ: ARCHIPELAGO NEGOTIATIONS

SECOND INFORMAL MEETING WAS HELD TODAY ON ARCHIPELAGOS WITH AMBASSADOR GALINDO POHL, C-II, CHAIRMAN, FOR PURPOSE OF ACQUAINTING HIM WITH VIEWS OF CONCERNED STATES. PRE-SENT WERE U.S. U.K., U.S.S.R., BAHAMAS, INDONESIA, FIJI, JAPAN AND PHILIPPINES. (LATTER TWO WERE NEW PARTICIPANTS).

A FOUR-POWER DRAFT, PREPARED BY INDONESIA, PHILIPPINES, FIJI AND MAURITIUS, CIRCULATED PRIOR TO MEETING, WAS PRE-SENTED BY INDONESIA AS POSSIBLE BASIS FOR DISCUSSIONS.

TEXT WAS VAGUE ON CRITERIA FOR DESIGNATING ARCHIPELAGOS, AND DID NOT PROVIDE FOR ADEQUATE PASSAGE PROVISIONS. WE DECLARED DRAFT UNACCEPTABLE AS A NEGOTIATING DOCUMENT AND
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WERE SUPPORTED BY U.S.S.R., U.K., AND JAPAN. A VERY

HALPFUL INTERVENTION WAS MADE BY GOCM MINISTER ADDERLEY,
POINTING OUT NEED FOR CERTAINTY IN DEFINING AND
DELIMITING ARCHIPELAGOS BY OBJECTIVE CRITERIA. IT
WAS DECIDED TO MEET AGAIN TOMORROW TO FURTHER ARGUE
RESPECTIVE POSITIONS TO ASSIST GALINDO POHL IN DRAFTING
ACCEPTABLE SINGLE NEGOTIATING TEXT.

AT LATER MEETING WITH US, BAHAMAS DEL PRESENTED A LIST-
ING OF PRINCIPLES THEY HAD PREPARED TO REFLECT THE
ESSENCE OF "BAHAMAS DRAFT" TO BE USED AS AIDE-MEMOIRE
WITH GALINDO POHL. THESE, WITH A FEW CHANGES, WERE
ACCEPTABLE TO US AND THEY WILL BE PRESENTED BY
BAHAMAS DEL AT THE INFORMAL MEETING TOMORROW.

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